

# TCN Composition

## Introduction

The following **Quick Reference** provides you with an index of the digits and how they make up the Transaction Control Number (TCN)

Example: 210916610000189000

**Position1: Input Indicator**

- 0 = Reserved
- 1 = Paper (the claim was received via paper)
- 2 = DDE Web Submission
- 3 = Electronic (HIPAA) Claim or Encounter was submitted as an electronic batch
- 4 = CE System Generated
- 5 = CM System Generated (generated by Contracts Mgmt Subsystem)
- 6 -7 = Reserved
- 8 = Paper with Attachments
- 9 = Reserved

**Position2: TCN Category**

- 0 = Reserved
- 1 = FFS
- 2 = Crossover (assigned to any claim received from GHI)
- 3 = Encounters
- 4 = Capitation Claims
- 5 = Gross Adjustments
- 6 = Pharmacy Encounters
- 7 = Recurring Payments
- 8-9 = Reserved

**Position3-4** = last 2 digits of the service year

**Position5-7** = Julian date

**Position 8: Adjustment Indicator**

- 1 = Original Claim
- 7 = Replacement Claim
- 8 = Void

**Position 9-15: Sequence Number**

Starting with 0000001 at the beginning of each Julian date

**Position16-18: Line Number**

Line number will begin with 001 for every new claim